

# Exhibit A

## Melanie King

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**From:** Casey Scott McKay <casey@mclaw.io>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 24, 2024 4:19 PM  
**To:** Melanie King  
**Cc:** Richard L. Brophy  
**Subject:** RE: Vermeer Manufacturing Co. v. AeroCine Ventures Inc. [IWOV-IDOCS.FID5396684]

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
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Hey Melanie,

I finally got in touch with my Client today and they approved me to represent them on this matter, so all future communication can go through my firm.

I am working on finding a second sponsor for my admission application to the Middle District of Tennessee, which I hope to file today, so I'll be filing my notice of appearance within the next few days as soon as I can get admitted and approved for ECF filing.

Once admitted, I plan on filing a motion for a modest extension of time to respond to the Complaint. On that note, would Vermeer Mfc. be willing to stipulate to allow AeroCine an additional twenty-one days to respond to the Complaint?

### Casey Scott McKay

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Thank you.

On Thursday, June 13th, 2024 at 4:51 PM, Melanie King <meking@atllp.com> wrote:

Hello Casey,

Our local counsel has confirmed that the complaint has been served on AeroCine's registered agent in Delaware. They will be filing the return of service shortly.

Thanks,

Melanie



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**From:** Casey Scott McKay <casey@mclaw.io>  
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**Cc:** Richard L. Brophy <RBrophy@atllp.com>  
**Subject:** RE: Vermeer Manufacturing Co. v. AeroCine Ventures Inc. [IWOV-IDOCS.FID5396684]

Hey,

No they still have not contacted me. I cannot provide much information, but I have good reason to believe they are traveling and not getting regular communications right now and may not become aware of this for a week or so. I have several lines of communication out to them and am expecting an answer soon. I'll update you as soon as I hear something/figure out a solution.

That said, I understand you have a job to do and understand that you have to proceed as you see best.

**Casey Scott McKay**

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On Thursday, June 13th, 2024 at 10:43 AM, Melanie King <[meking@atlpl.com](mailto:meking@atlpl.com)> wrote:

Hello Casey,

Have you received authorization to accept service? If not, we will need to proceed with service on AeroCine's registered agent.

Thanks,

Melanie



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**From:** Melanie King

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 11, 2024 1:44 PM

**To:** Casey Scott McKay <[casey@mclaw.io](mailto:casey@mclaw.io)>

**Cc:** Richard L. Brophy <[RBrophy@atltp.com](mailto:RBrophy@atltp.com)>

**Subject:** RE: Vermeer Manufacturing Co. v. AeroCine Ventures Inc. [IWOV-  
IDOC5.FID5396684]

Thanks, Casey. I will follow up in a few days if I haven't heard from you.



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**From:** Casey Scott McKay <[casey@mclaw.io](mailto:casey@mclaw.io)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 11, 2024 10:02 AM

**To:** Melanie King <[meking@atltp.com](mailto:meking@atltp.com)>

**Cc:** Richard L. Brophy <[RBrophy@atltp.com](mailto:RBrophy@atltp.com)>

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**CAUTION:** EXTERNAL EMAIL

Hey Melanie,

I am not authorized to accept service yet. I reached out to my Client last week requesting authorization, but I am still waiting on my Client to get back to me. I believe my Client may be traveling, so I'm working on confirming everything with them. I will update you as soon as I have more information/as soon as I get authorization to accept service.

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On Tuesday, June 11th, 2024 at 10:40 AM, Melanie King <[meking@atltp.com](mailto:meking@atltp.com)> wrote:

Mr. McKay,

Are you authorized to accept service of the complaint and summons on behalf of AeroCine Ventures Inc.?

Sincerely,

Melanie



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**From:** Melanie King  
**Sent:** Friday, June 7, 2024 4:20 PM  
**To:** [casey@mclaw.io](mailto:casey@mclaw.io)  
**Cc:** Richard L. Brophy <[RBrophy@atllp.com](mailto:RBrophy@atllp.com)>  
**Subject:** Vermeer Manufacturing Co. v. AeroCine Ventures Inc. [IWOV-IDOCS.FID5396684]

Mr. McKay,

This firm represents Vermeer Manufacturing Company with respect to its intellectual property rights. You are identified as the attorney correspondent for AeroCine Ventures Inc.'s registration for the mark VERMEER. Vermeer has filed the attached complaint against AeroCine in the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

Are you authorized to accept service of the complaint and summons on behalf of AeroCine Ventures Inc.?

Sincerely,

Melanie



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